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FOR CIVIL RIGHTS AND URBAN AFFAIRS

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**DA'AGA HILL BOWMAN PROMOTED TO
DIRECTOR, DEVELOPMENT & COMMUNICATIONS
AT THE WASHINGTON LAWYERS' COMMITTEE**

The Washington Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights and Urban Affairs has recently promoted Da'aga Hill Bowman from Director of Foundation Outreach and Public Information to Director, Development & Communications, effective immediately.

In her new capacity at the Washington Lawyers' Committee, Ms. Bowman is responsible for the Committee's development functions, including individual giving, foundation and firm giving, and print and online communications.

Prior to joining the Committee in 2002, Ms. Bowman worked as a legal editor for The Bureau of National Affairs, Inc. (now BNA Bloomberg), and as a fundraising consultant for the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc.

Her prior law practice included experience in the areas of employment litigation, government relations and international law.

She received her JD from the University of Virginia Law School, MEd from Harvard Graduate School of Education, and AB from Dartmouth College.

About the Washington Lawyers' Committee: www.washlaw.org

Established in 1968 by the city's leading law firms in response to racial disturbances that swept Washington and other cities, the Washington Lawyers' Committee provides *pro bono* legal services to address discrimination and entrenched poverty in the Washington community. With the resources of volunteer lawyers and law firms, it provides annually more than 50,000 hours of legal representation for the Committee's clients. Since its founding, the Committee has handled more than 5,000 cases on behalf of individuals and groups in the areas of equal employment opportunity, fair housing, public accommodations, public education, immigrant and refugee rights, disability rights, and DC prisoners' rights.

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